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A. UMAR ABD-AL-RAHMAN H A L I Q IS SYRIAN WITH SAUDI ARABIAN NATIONALITY. IN 1966 HE WROTE BOOK ON SAUDI POLITICAL AFFAIRS IN WHICH HE PRAISED SAUDI POLICIES. IN 1967 HE REPRESENTED AL-HAYAT IN BONN, WHERE HE ALSO MAINTAINED OFFICE FOR THE ISLAMIC PACT. HE WORKED AMONG ARAB STUDENTS IN WEST GERMANY ON BEHALF SAUDI ARABIA. IN 1971 HE VISITED IN BEIRUT THE FORMER MUFTI OF JERUSALEM HAJI AMIN AL-H U S A Y N I. AS OF 1972, HE WORKING FOR AL-HAYAT AND SAUDI INTERESTS IN BONN. NO INDICATION HE INVOLVED WITH PALESTINIAN FEDAYEEN OR TERRORISTS.

B. AMINE AL-S H A R I F, BORN 1925, PALESTINIAN REFUGEE RESIDING LEBANON. IN 1953 WAS MEMBER OF PPS (PARTIE POPULAIRE SYRIEN), AND AT ONE TIME WORKED FOR UMRWA IN LEBANON. POSSIBLY NOT IDENTICAL TO AMINE EL-C H A R I F IN WEST GERMANY.

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